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Applicants hereby request a refund of \$700.00, representing one-half of the filing fee paid upon filing the application on July 7, 2006.

This Request for Refund is based on a Small Entity Assertion, filed by separate paper concurrently herewith. A copy of the Small Entity Assertion is attached.

Kindly credit the refund of \$700.00 to the deposit account of undersigned, no. 23-0975. If there are any questions regarding this matter, please contact Kara Reade, Accounting Assistant, at (202) 721-8226.

Respectfully submitted,

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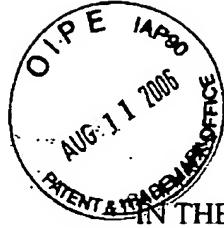
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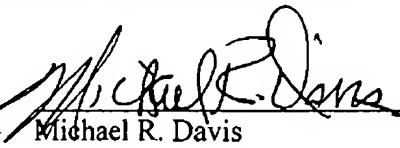
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Applicants hereby assert small entity status for the above-identified application.

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